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## QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT OF EXPORT PROMOTION PROGRAM AT MISSIONS ABROAD FOR FISCAL YEAR 87 FORECAST OF KEY ACTIVITIES AND ANTICIPATED RESULTS STATED IN MISSION'S ANNUAL PLAN

POST : 476-BUCHAREST

## 003-GRAINS AND DILSEEDS ROMANIA

PLANNING: ACTIVITIES PROPOSED IN POST PLAN:

ALL SUB-SECTORS

ONGOING SUPPORT AS /WHEN REQUIRED.

ENCOURAGE CLOSE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN CANADIAN WHEAT BOARD AND FOREIGN TRADE ORGANIZATION AGROEXPORT.

INVESTIGATION TO LEARN WHICH CWB AGENTS ARE SELLING IN ROMANIA; WORK WITH THEM AND OTHERS TO INCREASE CANADIAN EXPORTS OF BARLEY, RYE, CANOLA.

WORKING WITH CWB AND ITS AGENTS, DEVELOP PROGRAM OF CALLS ON KEY OFFICIALS AND INVESTIGATE THE UTILITY OF SEMINAR MISSION(S).

## TRACKING: ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN QUARTER:

- QUARTER: 1 ENCOURAGE CLOSER COMMUNICATION BETWEEN CWB AND ROM AGRICULTURE DECISION MAKERS. REACTIVATE CDA AGRIC-ROM AGRIC. RELATIONSHIP.
- QUARTER: 2 PROVIDE CWB&CIGI WITH FEEDBACK FM ROM PARTICI-PANTS MAY 87 OILSEEDS COURSE. ANNUAL SURVEY OF WHEAT, COARSE GRAIN & OIL SEEDS. PERMANENT CON-TACT WITH FTO AGROEXPORT. FOLLOW UP RE FEED CONCENTRATE.
- QUARTER: 3 REGULAR CONTACT WITH ROM OFFICIALS TO PROMOTE CDN RYE, BARLEY, CANOLA & KEEP ABREAST OF AGENTS WHO ARE ACTIVE.

QUARTER: 4 -----

ANTICIPATED RESULTS:

SOME CONTINUING SPOT SALES OF BARLEY.

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## **QUARTERLY RESULTS REPORTED:**

TWO ROM OFFICIALS ATTENDED CIGI OILS AND OIL SE-EDS COURSE IN WPG -MAY 87. ISSUE RAISED IN CONT-EXT OF JOINT GOVERNMENTAL COMMISSION HELD MAY 87 . ACTIVE CONSIDERATION OF PROJECTS.

-AN IMPORTANT FIRST STEP IN A LONGER TERM STRA-TEGY.-DESPITE DEARTH OF DATA REPORT PREPARED.-NO DEV. RE CEREALS OR OTHER AGR. PROD IMPORTS.-HAVE INFORMED ALL POTENTIALLY INTERESTED CON SUP-PLIERS SOME PROPOSALS PRESENTED TO AGROEXPORT.

MEETING WITH AGRIC DM RE USE OF CANOLA & OTHER SUBJECTS. ONLY CONTINENTAL GRAIN ACTIVE - SPOT SALE OF BARLEY.

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